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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of

WOLFGANG LUDWIG

Application No.: 09/808,398

Filed: March 14, 2001

For: METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR THE PROCESSING OF MEAT

Customer Number: 20277

Confirmation Number: 3668

Tech Center Art Unit: 1761

Examiner: Drew E. Becker

**NOTICE OF APPEAL  
FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF APPEALS**

Mail Stop  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Appeals from the decision dated December 14, 2004 of the Primary Examiner finally rejecting claims 11 and 17-41.

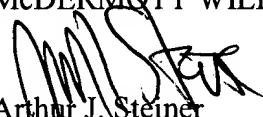
Appeal Fee: \$ 500.00

- ☐ Not required (fee paid in prior appeal in this application).
- ☒ Charge to Deposit Account No. 500417.
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